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Subject: Senate Bill 650

Dear Committee,

As a devoted husband, father of 2 young children, homeowner, Hartford resident, registered and active voter I implore you oppose Senate Bill 650 in its current state. The intentions are understandable, but the proposed Bill lacks the appropriate due process for the law abiding individuals who find themselves subject to a complaint. During my 10 year experience as a home owner, my neighborhood has encountered multiple home invasions, burglaries, shootings and homicides. It is imperative that I have the ability to defend my home and family from this element. Moving is not a quick solution nor would it completely rid the probability of violence against us.

I trust that you would not support such a Bill unless it offered a "swift" review that would provide an opportunity for the return of confiscated weapons when it is deemed that such action is no longer warranted. We know that the probability of a firearm being used is significantly less than the use of some other sort of weapon.

Again, I ask that you oppose this Bill until complete legislation, that which truly people provides significant remedies without the infringement of Constitutional rights.

Respectfully,

Christopher L. Dukes

Sent from my iPhone